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FOR: PROCESS FOR THE

PURIFICATION OF AQUEOUS PEROXYGEN SOLUTIONS, SOLUTIONS OBTAINABLE THEREBY AND THEIR USE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

A clean copy of the Replacement Abstract is attached at the end of this paper.